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**By Facsimile and Hand Delivery**

The Honorable Shira A. Scheindlin  
United States District Judge  
500 Pearl Street, Room 1620  
New York, New York 10007

Rc: United States v. John Melicharek, a/k/a "Rocky," et al.  
07 Cr. 907 (SAS)

Dear Judge Scheindlin:

The Government respectfully submits this letter regarding the bail conditions for defendant John Melicharek. On December 12, 2007, the Court set a series of bail conditions for Melicharek, including a \$5 million bond, 11 co-signers, and home detention with electronic monitoring. At the time of the hearing, the Government failed to request certain additional, relatively standard bail conditions, which it now requests by this letter. Specifically, the Government requests that Melicharek's bail restrictions include a travel restriction to the District of New Jersey (where Melicharek resides); the Southern District of New York (for court appearances only); and the Eastern District of New York (for visits with counsel only); as well as the surrender by Melicharek of his passport, and no new applications for any travel documents. I have spoken with counsel for Melicharek, who consents to this request.

Respectfully submitted,

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